

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT:	Wing, Y. Cheung, et al.	CONF. NO.:	4436
APPLICATION NO.:	10/695,089	GROUP:	1634
FILING DATE:	October 28, 2003	EXAMINER:	Kapushoc, Stephen Thomas
TITLE:	<b>Compositions and Methods for Identifying Plants Having Increased Tolerance to Imidazolinone Herbicides</b>		

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition that the time for responding to the Examiner's Office Action dated August 28, 2006 be extended for a period of 3 months, resetting the due date to 02/28/2007. Authorization is hereby given to charge the extension fee of \$1,020.00 and any other fee that may be due with regard to this submission, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 021197.

Respectfully submitted,

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